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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 22 November 2004 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☐ entered.

b) ☒ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.


c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

See attached sheet for IDS and Drawings details

  
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***Information Disclosure Statement***

1. The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 22 November 2004 and 16 December 2004 was filed after the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance on 05 October 2004. The submission is in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97. Accordingly, the examiner is considering the information disclosure statement. No changes are necessary in the last Office Action mailed 05 October 2004

***Drawings***

2. The drawings (Figs. 2 and 3) were received on 22 November 2004. These drawings are acceptable.


***CONTACT INFORMATION***

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to HIEU T. VO whose telephone number is 571-272-4854. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F, 2nd Friday Off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, HENRY C. YUEN can be reached on 571-272-4856. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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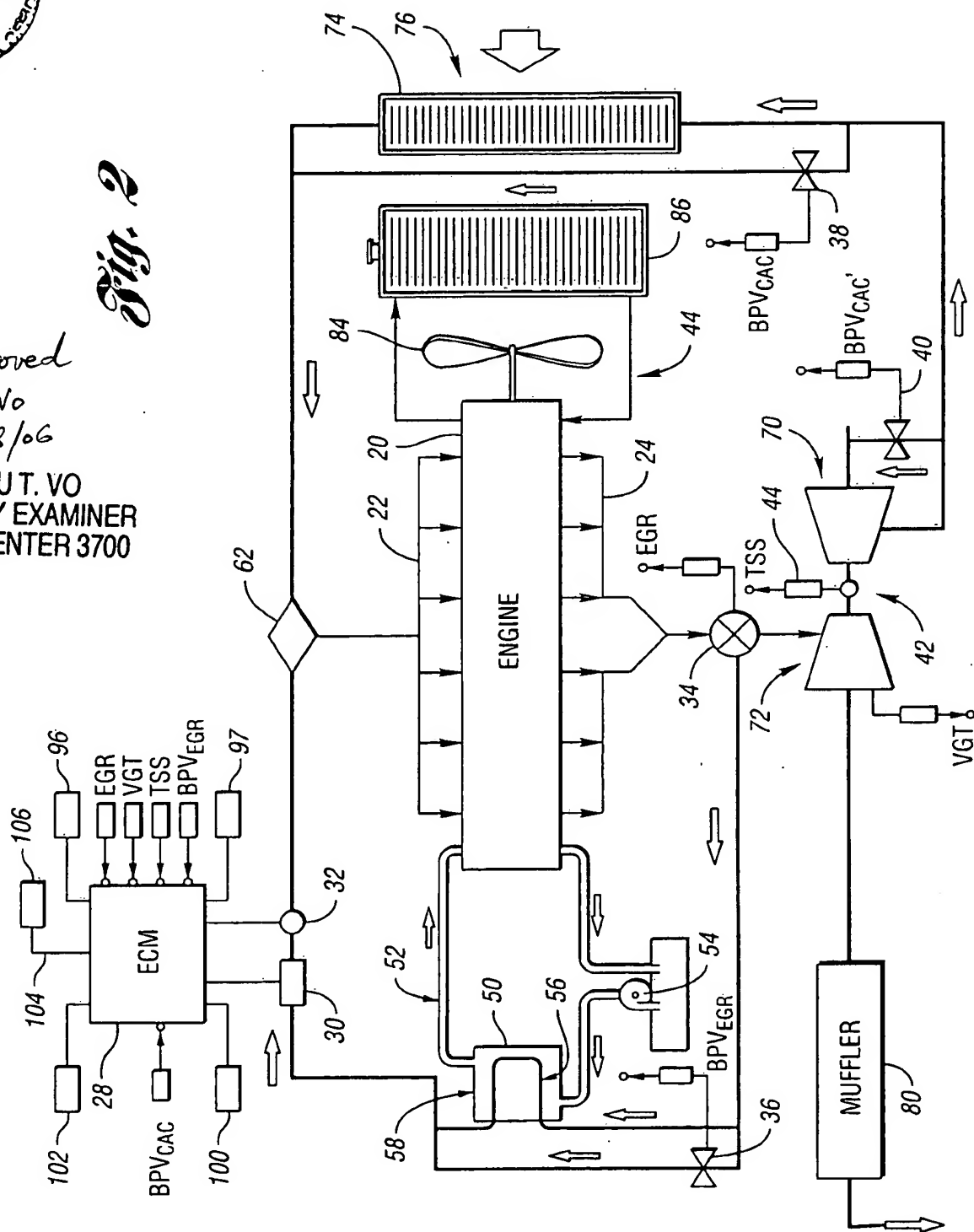
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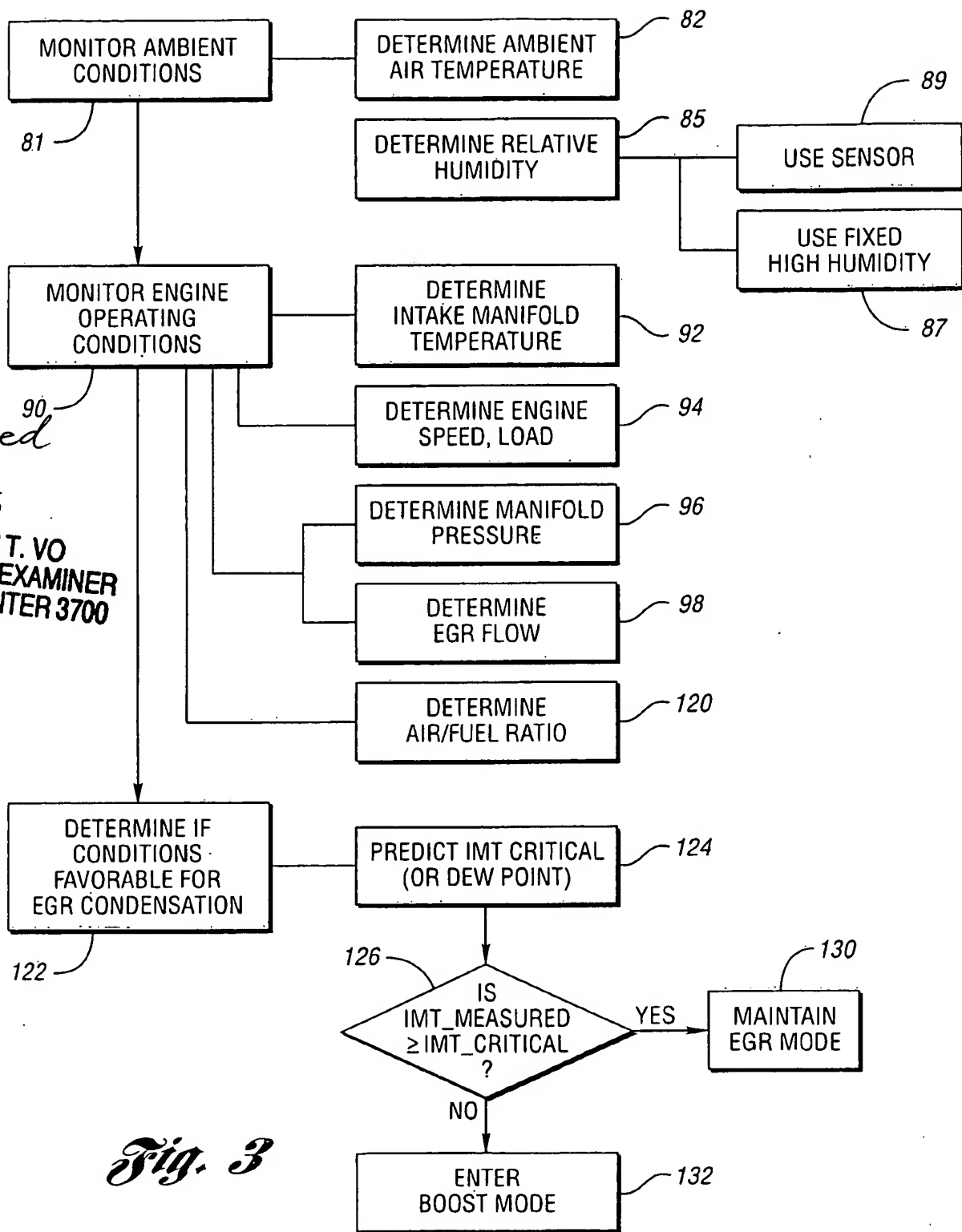


*Fig. 2*

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*Fig. 3*

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